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CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH NOTES
The Services next Sunday (Mother's Day) will be held at Paschen-dale at 11 a.m., Roseberry at 3.00 p.m. and Town at 8 p.m. The theme of the sermon will be "Mother and Son." Everyone is cordially welcome to worship with us.

There will also be a special session of the Sunday School which will partake of the nature of a Mother's Day service. All are cordially invited.

It is a matter for rejoicing to learn that the supply of candidates for the ministry of the United Church is steadily increasing. In the four years from 1928 to 1931, the number of students has grown from 401 to 475. These students are, in most cases, native-born Canadians, drawn mainly from the large area belonging to each of the Church's colleges. Most of these men are taking the full seven-year course in Arts and Theology. These men are offering trained lives for service in our communities and mission fields; will the membership and friends of the Church undertake to support the Missionary and Maintenance Fund so that we can make the fullest use of these men in Christian work?

The Mother and Baby day in the church last Thursday, planned by the W. M. S. was not the success that was hoped for, but the society were real pleased to have those who did come. They hope to have another such day when times are not so busy so the country ladies can get in.

Mrs. McGillivray of Toronto, Past President of the Dominion Board of the Women's Missionary Society, will speak in Watrous, Saskatchewan on Sunday afternoon, May 10th. Mrs. McGillivray has recently been on a tour of the Orient and will have much of interest to tell us. Everybody is invited.

Correspondents and contributors to The Times are asked to write on one side of the paper only when sending in items or notices. This is for the convenience of the compositors and items are not so apt to be missed.

IRMA BRANCH NO. 112 CAN. LEGION B.E.S.L.

A Special General meeting is called for 8.30 p.m., May 23rd at Cde Cole's office. Important business.

W. E. Inklin, Sec.-Treas.

A Banquet and unveiling of Charter will be held on June 1st. Invitations are extended to all veterans of Irma district and their wives and families, whether members or non-members for the banquet, and this invitation also includes any overseas sister and her husband.

The banquet will be followed by a dance, which is open to the public. Gent's 50 cents, ladies kindly bring cakes.

Banquet starts at 8 p.m. and dance at 10 p.m. Watch the paper for further announcements re banquet.

All veterans intending to be at the banquet are asked to notify me by May 22nd so that seating accommodation can be arranged.

W. E. Inklin, Sec.-Treas. Phone 314

CORRECTION

In the minutes of the Battle River M. D. Council meeting of April 24th, it is stated that the mill rate for Glenohg S. D. was set at 7.3-10; it should have read 17.3-10 mills.

NOTICE RE BYLAW

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Village of Irma intend to pass a Zoning Bylaw under the provisions of Section 30 of the Town Planning Act 1929. A Copy of the Bylaw may be seen at the office of the Secretary Treasurer between the hours of 9 a.m. to 12 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. any day not a Sunday or a public holiday. At 8 p.m. on the evening of Friday being the 29th day of May, 1931 the Council will meet for the purpose of hearing any objections to the Bylaw.
Chas. Wilbraham, Sec'y-Treas.
Village of Irma

NEWS ITEMS

FROM JARROW

Mr. S. McGregor has returned from Edmonton where he has been for several weeks.

Howard Jamieson is confined to his bed suffering from a sore leg. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ward Matthews at Viking hospital on Monday, May 4th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Luxton motored to Edmonton on Friday returning on Monday.

Miss K. McGregor has accepted a position in the H. Montgomery store at Wetaskiwin and left for her new duties last Sunday.

Mrs. Spruhan, of St. Paul is visiting her sister Mrs. McNals this week.

Miss H. Doherty spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Empey at Viking.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Waite on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance. Not much business was to be settled but a real social time was spent and a delightful lunch served by the hostess. The next meeting will be Mrs. Lissan's on May 27th, where plans for the booth on June 3rd will be discussed.

A number of friends of Fred Rowland's gathered in the hall on Wednesday evening for a farewell party to him. Games music and dancing was the order of the evening and a nice lunch was served. Mr. Orr, on behalf of the present, presented him with a purse and expressed the regret of all in his leaving our town, and wishing him every good luck in his new place. Fred is going to De-ville and will be greatly missed here in sports, especially in the baseball team.

A special Mother's Day program is being prepared by the children of the Sunday School for Sunday, May 10th. Everyone is invited to the Mothers' especially are urged to be present.

Mr. Ed. Peet and baby Glen are visiting with relatives south of Irma.

VALLEY LOCAL U. F. W. A.
The April meeting of the above Local met at the home of Mrs. E. Erickson, with Mrs. O'Neill, vice-president, in the chair.

A letter was read from Mrs. Zipperer re entering a quilt for the Quilt Contest to be held at the Sedgewick Constituency Rally in June. All quilts entered to be donated to Bethany Lodge, Edmonton, after the contest. The Local decided to enter the contest and Mrs. Pendleton was appointed to purchase materials for same.

Five dollars (\$5.) was donated towards the Young Peoples Farm Week at the Alberta University and Merlyn Pendleton was chosen as delegate to attend same with Margaret O'Neill as alternative delegate.

The yearly exchange of house plants and plant cuttings was the next business of the meeting.

Mrs. Waite was the recipient of the gift donated by Mrs. Russell. An interesting Bird Contest was put on by Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. J. Routledge and Mrs. Gill Comley trying for the prize, the latter eventually being the winner.

Serving of lunch and a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Erickson for the use of their home brought an interesting meeting to a close.

The May meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Lindquist.

JAMES A. HEADLEY COM- MUNES BUILDING BLOCK

Work commenced Tuesday on a new building to replace some of the stores burned in the recent fire. The new structure will be constructed of concrete walls 75 x 80 feet, on the corner of Main Street and Second Ave. The three stores on Main street will be occupied by the Post Office, a general store and Barber Shop and Pool Room. At the rear Mr. Headley is putting up the building intended having a Lodge Room. Mr. Gerald Curry, has the contract and the building will likely be ready for occupation by July 1st.

WEDDING BELLS

Word reached Irma the first of the week that Mrs. N. M. Matheson, who left Irma last week for Calgary, had changed her name to Mrs. Turner. This is a surprise to most of the residents of Irma, with whom we join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Turner every happiness and success. We understand that they intend making their future home in Calgary.

Hon. George Hoadley

HON. GEORGE HOADLEY, Minister of Agriculture for Alberta. Has been a resident of Canada since 1900. He was born at Wetherall, England, and received his education at the Carlisle Grammar School and St. Bess College.

In 1902 Mr. Hoadley was a candidate for election to the North West Assembly as an independent farmer for High River. He was not successful, but was elected to the Legislature of Alberta in 1909, 1913, 1917 and 1921.

When the Greenfield Government was formed in August of 1921, Mr. Hoadley was invited to take the portfolios of Agriculture and Health. After assuming office he was re-elected by acclamation and in the general elections of 1921, 1926 and 1930 was again sent to the Legislature as a supporter of the United Farmers of Alberta.

Mr. Hoadley is chairman of the Alberta Provincial Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, as well as a member of the Executive and Finance Committee.



Some Observations About Bugs, Birds, and Bush Fires

(By Our Bruce Correspondent)

For days, recently, the air has been heavy with smoke, that at times almost obscured the sun. Bush fires to the north are blamed, but these were augmented by farmers taking advantage of the dry weather, and burning brush. A short time ago, a pamphlet was issued by the Dominion Entomologist, bearing a map of the West, showing the areas, in red and orange colours, where cut-worm outbreaks are anticipated. This season, in more or less severity. If these predictions are correct, there will be many places in the west where the wheat crop is doomed to failure. (Edmonton district is not yet recorded in the infested area.) There is a direct correlation between these observations.

Fire is a cheap and convenient means of getting rid of undesirable brush. Fire, over brush and grass lands, just at nesting season, is an effective way of reducing bird population. Every reduction of insectivorous birds means an increase of insects in like ratio. A farmer of this neighborhood has a strip of brush land between two fields. A neighbor remarked, "John, when you get that bit broken out, you'll have a nice piece of land." "That brush is going to stay there," was the reply. The birds must have somewhere to nest." Much has been written during the last year, objecting to the short sighted policy of clearing all the brush from farms, and giving rise to unwelcome dust storms and increasing soil drifting. Objections were raised last winter to the government brush camps, on the same grounds. Farming may be profitable in spite of dust storms; and other means may be used to check drifting soil; but without the birds grain raising would be impossible and our beautiful park land would become a veritable Sahara.

Apart from the game birds, which are all insectivorous; the Baltimore Oriole, with his glorious coat of orange on black, stands out as one of the most desirable birds. The oriole, the only bird that has been upon the cut-worm moth. That dusky visitor that flutters about the window screens on an August evening. As one moth may lay many thousands of eggs, it is ten times better business destroying the moth than to try and catch the cut-worms. The oriole is strictly arboreal, is never seen on the ground. So, no trees; no orioles. The English sparrow, that has made its appearance in this district in recent years, is a slovenly house-keeper and an undesirable neighbor. Our manure with the crow is that we lack appreciation of his musical note. With these exceptions, our birds do serve protection, and a place to live.

LOUGHEED

Arthur Reeves has returned from a term at the University.

Cecil Collier returned Saturday evening from Edmonton where he has been attending Varsity.

On Saturday evening, twenty-eight young people enjoyed a party held in the bank residence for Alex McDonnell, who celebrated his birthday on the second. H. J. Fair acted as host.

Seven tables were occupied by whist enthusiasts. The prizes were awarded by the host to Miss Emily MacLaren, Howard Morrison and the Consolations to Miss Annie MacLaren and Wilfred Colville. Games and dancing were enjoyed at the midnight hour, the revellers serving a bountiful lunch. A beautiful birthday cake adorned a table in the center of the room. Miss Marie Rogers, on behalf of those present present Alex with a lovely bill fold as remembrance of a very joyous evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Craib and Dorothy and Joe are visiting friends at Cadogan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bamforth and daughter spent Saturday in Leduc.

Miss Rosie Adams spent Saturday in Camrose.

H. A. MacDonald accompanied by H. J. Fair motored to Edmonton Saturday.

The Women's Institute met in the dining room of the hotel Saturday afternoon. A good turnout of members was reported. A very interesting paper on "Care of House Plants" was given by Miss Madge Voorhees. Other interesting business was discussed. At the close of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. A. Hobson served a dainty lunch.

It is reported that Syd Johnson is

to take over the management of the Loucheed Machine Shop for an indefinite time.

Jim Dixon returns this week to Calgary after spending his holidays at the home of Mrs. A. Brown.

L. W. Taverner of Calgary is again visiting friends in the village.

Wilson Hood motored from Killam Friday and was accompanied back by Miss Beth Large who spent the week end at her home there.

Miss Myrtle Paull spent the week end at her home.

Miss Alice Clark spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Chas. Hays in Strome.

F. T. Gerard of Edmonton is spending several weeks in town, with relatives.

MELGROVE VALLEY GUIDES

On Saturday, April 25th the Guides held a most enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. James. The First Aid work required for the Second Class badge was completed and the meeting being held so close to St. George's Day the memorization work was taken from the Legend of St. George. After a hearty sing-song the Patrol Seconds laid the trail for an Observation game and judging by comments the Guides had a strenuous time following it. Two more younger girls attended the meeting with the view to becoming Brownie Recruits.

At the close full justice was done to the lunch kindly provided by our hostess. The Guides and Brownies hope to accept Mrs. Christenson's invitation to hold the next meeting at her home.

LARGE PERCENTAGE OF WHEAT SOWN WEEKLY REVIEW PROV. MARKETS

Issued by the Department of Agriculture, Province of Alberta, May 2nd, 1931

Crop correspondents report that from 40 to 75 per cent of the wheat is sown. In those parts of northern and western Alberta where moisture supplies are adequate for germination, seeding is progressing fairly rapidly. Other districts report that seeding is being delayed to a certain extent awaiting much needed moisture. About 10 per cent of the oat crop is seeded.

There has been considerable soil drifting throughout the Province, but crop damage from this cause has not been serious to date. Very little seed was in the ground at the period of greatest soil drifting. The high temperatures of the past few days has been favorable to rapid germination where moisture is sufficient and good stands are expected. In the eastern parts of Central and Southern Alberta the moisture supply is insufficient and uniform stands cannot be expected unless rains come early.

There is a tendency to decrease the area sown to wheat and increase the acreage of coarse grains and fodder crops. In the drier areas only well prepared land such as summerfallow is being sown to wheat. If dry conditions continue, a large part of the remaining area will be summerfallow; otherwise coarse grains will be seeded. An increase in the area devoted to coarse grains and fodder crops will be necessary to provide for the increasing numbers of livestock being kept.

Steps taken by the Dominion and Provincial Governments, the railways and the Municipalities to provide seed grain in areas where there was a crop failure last year have been adequate to the need. All districts report a sufficient supply of good seed.

There are isolated instances of difficulties being experienced in financing the purchase of tractor fuel. In the majority of instances, horses are available, and while tractors will be used less than formerly, this will not result in curtailing the crop acreage to any extent.

The mild weather of the past winter has been favorable to livestock and they are reported to be in good condition. Spring litters of pigs are satisfactory both in numbers and in vigor. Losses occurred during the cold weather of March. These losses have not been greater than usual however. Reports indicate that there is a material increase in the hog population over previous years.

SPRINGTIME

The winter days are over
Springtime at last is place;
With thankful hearts we favor
The days of warmth and grace.

The sap in trees is creeping up,
Green buds will soon burst forth;
The sun, and Mother Nature
Will soon have run its course:

The crows, are here with cawing
Blue birds, go flitting by;
The merry brook is flowing,
With snow fed waters high.

The meadow lark is singing
His sweet and mellow lay;
Flowers and grass are springing,
All nature seems so gay.

I hear the sparrows twittering
Down in the willow grove,
They see the catkins on the limbs,
Like pussies in a row.

Along beside the pasture lane,
The crocuses now grow;
They nod their heads on slender stems
As the soft west wind does blow.

All dormant creatures have awakened
up,
That walk, creep, and run;
And all mankind, as well as beasts,
Are glad to see spring come.

Mrs. G. F. Albrecht, Laughed, Alta

Don't forget to visit the Mothers Day Tea and Sale of Home Cooking on Saturday, May 9th.

Come up and have a real dainty tea at the church, Saturday, May 9th.

BEEF—Choice heavy steers at \$5 \$4.25; choice light \$5.25@5.50; good \$5@5.25; medium from \$4.50@ \$4.75 and common from \$3.50@4.25, choice heifers brought from \$5@5.25; with the good ones making \$4.75@ \$5.

FEEDERS, STOCKERS—A fair demand prevailed in this market, with feeder steers at \$3.50@4.25; stock steers \$3.50@4; stock heifers \$3.50 @3.4 and stock cows \$3@3.75.

HOGS—Bacon hogs were lower on the Edmonton market this week, the price on Wednesday being established at \$6.50@6.85, while selects sold at \$7@7.35; butchers at \$6@6.35, fed and watered basis.

SHEEP—Little change noted at Edmonton. Lambs quoted at \$7.50@ \$8.50, ewes \$4@5; yearlings \$5@6.

CREAM—Prices in Alberta declined 3 cents since the last report. Receipts increasing steadily at both country points and centralizers. Special, 21c; first, 19c and second, 16c.

POULTRY—Prices steady: No. 1 stages, 10c; No. 2 7c; No. 1 fowl over 5 lbs, 12@13c; No. 1 4-5 lbs, 12@12c; No. 1, under 4 lbs, 9@10c; No. 2, 6c; roasters, 6@7c.

EGGS—Quality good now that weather is warmer. Prices 3c lower: Extras, 12@13c; first, 10@11c; seconds, 7@10c.

HAY—Market slow and little changing hands except at country points between farmers. Quality good. Timothy finding biggest demand at \$12 per ton, while upland is sold at \$9. Large carryover anticipated.

FEED OATS—Although spring work has commenced in most sections, no improvement is noted in this market. Supplies are rather light. Price steady at 23 cents per bushel, delivered.

GREENFEED—Good demand, but very few offerings. Quality excellent. Price steady at \$9 per ton, delivered.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to Mrs. Seton and family, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson, Irma, and Mrs. R. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kasten, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and family, Mr. Ed. Lechelt. Also the following Sunny Bree neighbors: Mrs. F. Higginson, Mrs. D. Askin, Mrs. E. Fenion, Mrs. J. Fenion, Mrs. G. Smart, Mrs. T. Saunders, Miss Sellers, Mrs. A. Rush, Mrs. B. Bacon, Mrs. F. Hill, Mrs. O. Enger, Mrs. M. Enger, Mrs. G. Knowles; for the beautiful floral offerings and expressions of sympathy in our sad bereavement of Darling Mother.
— Mr. Hubman and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my greatest appreciation and thanks to all my good neighbors and friends for their kindness in paying visits to my home since the sad bereavement in the loss of my Loving Mother.
Signed: Helde

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who sent dishes and clothing to us, and also those who helped in other ways after the loss of our house by fire on Monday evening, April 13th, 1931.
— Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Fitzpatrick and Family.

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Developments In Transportation

(Second Article)

In a previous article under the above heading the fact was emphasized that the motor bus and freight and express truck was offering increasingly serious competition to the steam railways with the inevitable outcome that the losses in revenue sustained by the railways would render impossible any reduction in freight rates now so generally demanded by farmers who must rely upon the railways to transport their products and supplies.

The railways are required to expend enormous sums every year in the upkeep of their systems, in additions and betterment to property, rolling stock, etc. For such purposes they expend large sums annually of both current revenues and borrowed capital. As a result they are large employers of labor. Their aggregate tax bill to the Dominion, the Province, and municipalities run into millions of dollars.

The ability of the railways to finance such expenditures and to continue programmes of improvement in future must always be determined by the public. That fact surely is recognized.

The motor passenger buses and freight and express trucks, on the other hand, are not required to keep up the highways over which they operate. The people do what they wish to do. All these buses and trucks contribute to an annual license fee and the regular tax on gasoline. In return the highways are provided and maintained for them. Yet it must be admitted that these heavy buses and trucks are more destructive of the highways than countless numbers of ordinary automobiles.

Buses and trucks operate on schedule. Notwithstanding heavy rains, melting snows and frost, they continue to run, and as a result do damage to the highways costing hundreds of dollars to repair—and the people foot the bill. The question may well be asked by the people who pay these bills whether this is fair competition to the railways who are called upon to maintain their own highways?

Railways are precluded by law from operating local freight trains on Sundays. But motor trucks are found operating on the highways on Sundays, if not hauling loads of freight or express, at least making Sunday trips to business centres in readiness to start out early Monday morning with a paying load.

These trucks, too, operating over a fixed route, pick up orders from merchants along the line on their way to wholesale centres, turn these orders over to the wholesale houses on arrival, and later pick up the goods and deliver them along their route on the return trip. It means a fast and convenient service. It is even eliminating the need for commercial travellers. It is a service which the railways cannot supply, but it is taking substantial revenues from the railways, and making it more and more difficult for the latter to maintain their other services which neither motor buses nor trucks can supply, but which, after all, are still the backbone of the transportation systems of the country.

Already the people are beginning to pay in other ways. Local train services are being cut down, daily trains are being replaced with tri-weekly services; mails formerly received daily are coming only every other day. In the next step to be the transfer of the mail services from the railways to the buses and trucks? Staffs at local railway stations are being reduced to the minimum.

Nevertheless the people, and particularly the farmer producers, must continue to depend upon the railways, crippled though they be by these losses of revenue, for their motor services.

What is the solution? Frankly we do not know. As stated in our previous article we are not an apologist for the railways. We hold no brief for them. Rather we are stating what is becoming an increasingly grave question for the people who, in the final analysis, pay the bills either as individuals, or collectively as taxpayers.

Are the gains in service and possibly lower rates on the lighter classes of freight and express over short hauls resulting from these commercial operations over the highways more than sufficient to compensate for the losses which ultimately the people must sustain in connection with all heavier traffic and long haul traffic, both light and heavy? That is the problem, not only for the railway managements, but for the taxpayers of Canada. In other words, will the gains offset, or counter-balance, the losses?

Another question is: Should not these commercial enterprises, motor passenger buses and freight and express trucks, be made subject to a greater measure of governmental control? Should they not be called upon to pay something more than a nominal license fee and the regular gasoline tax for the use they make of the public highways in order to more adequately assist in meeting the cost of maintenance of those highways? Should not a per ton per mile tax be imposed on trucks, or a mileage tax on passenger fares?

That is, should the taxpayers continue to pay for the construction and upkeep of these all-weather highways and grant what is practically free use of them to commercial enterprises operating for private profit and who in so operating do more damage to the highways than do the taxpayers who built and maintain them? And does the present more or less uncontrolled commercial traffic on the highways, under the conditions outlined above, constitute fair competition to the railways? Do the advantages of service provided over short distances by these commercialized highway companies compensate for the losses in railway service being sustained? In the long run, will the country be the gainer or the loser?

Argentines May Visit Canada

The Canadian delegates who visited South America to attend the British Empire Trade Fair at Buenos Aires, hope that a large body of Argentines will visit Canada and attend the annual gathering in Regina of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce during the coming summer. J. H. Woods, of Commerce stated upon his arrival at Montreal.

Will Sow Same Acreage

The superintendent of the Experimental Farm, at Swift Current, reports that the farmers in that district will sow approximately the same acreage to grain as in former years. He states that the soil is in good condition so far as moisture is concerned, having thirty per cent more reserve than at this time a year ago.

Felt Tired Out All Day Could Not Sleep at Night

Mrs. Adamson Lalonde, 2481 St. James St., Montreal, Que., writes:—"After a spell of the grippe I was left very nervous, and felt drowsy and tired out all day, and could not sleep at night. I was also troubled with my heart and did not feel at all like working. I was told about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after taking four boxes I was completely relieved of my trouble, and can recommend your Pills to everyone."

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Bessborough Old Name To British Columbia

Bay Off Johnston Strait Named After Ancient British Family

Bessborough, the name which has been on all Canadian lips since the appointment of the Earl of Bessborough, as Governor-General of Canada, has been known to British Columbia, particularly those who have travelled the famed inside passage to Alaska for 66 years. This province's association with the name goes back to 1865, according to Henry W. Schofield, district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway and well-known historian. In that year Bessborough Bay in Sunderland Channel, off Johnston Strait, which forms part of the inside passage, was so named in honor of the ancient British family.

According to Mr. Schofield, who traced the origin of the name in Capt. John T. Malbran's authoritative "British Columbia Coast Names," the bay was named after the "Noble House of Bessborough."

The holder of the title at that time, the reference states, was John Bessborough, fifth Earl of Bessborough and Baron Duncannon. His nephew, Edward Ponsonby, was a midshipman in the Royal Navy, serving then on the B.C. coast.

"THESE HARD TIMES"

"The hard times and scarcity of money makes it more important than ever to economize. One way I save on clothes is by renewing the color of faded or out-of-style dresses, coats, stockings, and underwear. For dyeing, or tinting, I always use Diamond Dyes. They are the most economical ones by far because they never fail to produce results that make you proud. Why, things look better than new when dyed with Diamond Dyes. They never spot, streak, or rub. They go on smoothly and evenly, when in the hands of even a boy or a girl. I don't think, Diamond Dyes never take the life out of cloth or leave it limp as some dyes do. They deserve to be called 'the world's finest dyes'."

S. B. G., Quebec

Amendments To Coast Shipping Laws Urged

More Canadian Boats Should Carry Grain To Montreal Is Suggested

Important amendment to the coastal shipping laws of Canada have been urged upon the government by the Dominion Marine Association. It was proposed that Canadian boats be used more in the transport of export grain from the lakehead to Montreal. At the present time it is permissible for Canadian grain to be carried by United States boats to Buffalo and thence transhipped to another United States port and forwarded to Montreal.

The association desired the government to compel the use of Canadian boats to Buffalo and from there to Montreal. This would apply only to Canadian grain destined for export.

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Many New Industries

Over Three Hundred Established On Lines Of Canadian National Last Year

During 1930 a total of 340 new industries established themselves on the lines of the Canadian National Railways in Canada, according to the annual report of the system, which was tabled in the House of Commons recently. The founding of these industries in Canada involved a capital expenditure of \$37,000,000; additions to existing plants were made at an approximate cost of \$50,500,000.

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Preparedness

Husband (to wife in front of hatshop)—My dear, it's no use your looking at those hats. I've only fifty cents in my pocket.

Wife—You might have known that I'd want to buy a few things when we left the house.

Hubby—I did.

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W. N. U. 1887



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Rise Of Livestock Industry

One-Fourth Of Canadian Population Supplied By Meat Industry In Winnipeg

The rise of the livestock industry to a parity with that of wheat and flour in Western Canada, is being commented upon by the Winnipeg press. It is pointed out that one-fourth of Canada's population is supplied by the meat industry in Winnipeg, which ships beef, pork, veal, lamb and mutton to every corner of the Dominion. Figures compiled recently reveal that one billion and a half pounds of meat were consumed in Canada in 1930. Of this total approximately half a billion pounds was received and shipped from the stockyards of Winnipeg. A total of 185,620 cattle, 42,777 calves, 398,608 hogs and 87,400 sheep and lambs entered Winnipeg stockyards in 1930 from the grazing lands of the prairie. A turnover in excess of \$20,000,000 represented the business of two of the city's largest packing plants.

Canadian Cars Tripled

Average Is Now One Car To Every Eight Persons

Automobile ownership in Canada has tripled since 1920, according to a bulletin issued here.

There were 1,239,889 motor cars registered in the Dominion at the beginning of 1931, compared with only 407,084 in 1920.

Canada now ranks second only to the United States in the per capita ownership of automobiles. The Dominion's average is one car to every 8.5 persons, as against that of the United States is one automobile to every 4.6.

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Chinese Go Through Oriental Rite In Vancouver Court

The "burning paper" oath was administered before Judge H. S. Cayley in County Court when two Chinese, Lee Hing and Lee Jim Bark, appeared on charges of selling opium. Both were convicted and sentenced to six months in jail.

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Explorers In Education

English Headmistress Heads Delegation To Investigate System In Canada

Under the leadership of Dame Muriel Talbot, a party of 12 British headmistresses of girls' schools in the Old Country, have arrived in Canada. "We are explorers in the real sense of the term," said Dame Muriel Talbot in an interview before she left the "Duchess of Bedford." "We are going to explore the educational system as far as it relates to girls in Canada, so that we can advise parents on the wisdom of sending their girls to Canada to complete their education."

"Nowadays, the girl going to school thinks of the future and maps out a career for herself. There is not much scope in the Old Country and like her brothers, she must cast around for some other country where she can earn a living."

"Canada is a young country and girls' educational facilities have been brought up to a high standard and therefore we are also here in the capacity of learners."

"If a girl is coming to Canada to earn her living then she should first herself for that purpose by completing her education here on the ground."

"For that reason we wish to see what the universities have to offer in the way of curricula, hostel accommodation, vacations and also to study the educational standards. In this manner we shall be able to advise parents on the subject."

Will Visit Battle Zones

Brigadier-General Hughes To Inspect Work On Canadian Memorials

Brig-Gen H. T. Hughes, C.M.G., D.S.O., head of the Canadian Battlefields Memorials Commission, is going to France and Belgium in connection with the work now proceeding on the Vimy memorial. He will be away for several months. "The Vimy Memorial will be completed in two or three years," he stated, when asked as to the progress made. "Seven memorials, at St. Julien, Passchendaele, and Sanctuary Wood, in Belgium, and at Courcellette, Dury, Bourlon Wood, and Laquesnel, in France, have already been handed over to the Imperial War Graves Commission. Each stands in a miniature park, and 220 acres were donated by the French government for the Vimy memorial."

Aspired To Journalism

An English newspaper published in Shanghai reports receiving the following letter from an ambitious native youth with aspirations to become a journalist.

Sir: I am Wang. I can drive a typewriter with good noise and my English is great. My last job has left itself from me, for the good reason that the large man has fired. It was on account of no fault of mine. So, honorable sir, what about it? If I can be of big use to you, I will arrive on same date that you should guess."

For testing the purity of liquids, scientists in France are using a telephone device.

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Practising Primitive Art

The primitive art of trading bricks with the bare feet still is practiced near Stourbridge, England. The sturdy women brickmakers of Worcester-shire, England, knead the clay into the moulds with their feet while supporting themselves with sticks.

FARMER'S WIFE GETS STRENGTH

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Ask Your Neighbor

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RAOUL DANDURAND VISITS WASHINGTON

Richest Deposit Of Radium In The World Is Found In The North-West Territories

The richest deposit of radium in the world lies at Great Bear Lake, 1,200 miles north of Edmonton in the Northwest Territories.

Such was the fact disclosed, when Dr. J. A. Allan, head of the department of geology, at the University of Alberta, revealed, results of analysis just completed by provincial and university officials of pitchblende ore samples taken from that area.

On the basis of the samples analyzed, Dr. Allan estimated the value of the ore at \$8,600 a ton.

Not only was this radium-bearing pitchblende to be found at Echo Bay, on Great Bear Lake, but the geologist indicated it might also be located in the pre-Cambrian Shield that covers 12,000 square miles of Alberta.

The ore sample taken at the University by A. L. Cummings, supervisory mining engineer for the Dominion Government at Fort Smith, are practically pure pitchblende, Dr. Allan stated. They run richer in pitchblende and with less residue than the ore taken from the mines in the Belgian Congo, now the only large scale radium producing mines in the world.

Mineralogical analysis, conducted by J. A. Allan, M.S., Ph.D., F.R.S.C., and L. Rutherford, M.Sc., Ph.D., show that the uranium ore is contained in a particularly rich pitchblende or amorphous uraninite.

Radioactivity tests of the pitchblende, conducted by E. H. Boomer, M.S., Ph.D., show that the mineral contains approximately 182 milligrams per ton, approximately 17 times as strong as standard Colorado carnotite.

Since radium is worth approximately \$70 per milligram, a ton of the Echo Lake pitchblende would be worth approximately \$12,700 per ton. This would mean that the ore, containing 68 per cent. pitchblende, would be worth about \$8,600 per ton.

"These analyses," Dr. Allan declared when interviewed recently, "show that one gram of radium is contained in every six tons of the pitchblende."

"The discovery of pitchblende in the pre-Cambrian rock of Canada, is," he continued, "of great national importance, not as much because of this particular deposit about which so little is known, but because of the knowledge that there is pitchblende to be found in the great area of pre-Cambrian rock, lies exposed for over 2,000,000 square miles in Canada."

"It means that there has been discovered a great national wealth which Canada had not previously realized. There is no reason for suggesting that the ore body from which these samples were taken is the only portion of the vast pre-Cambrian Shield where the pitchblende ore occurs."

In the Path Of Peace

Denmark Votes To Abolish the Army and Navy

Denmark's Parliament lately voted to abolish the army and navy, leaving no more than a police force and a coast guard capable of regulating shipping and customs service. Whether this means the passing of military pomp and haval prowess from a nation once mighty at sea, it is a fact that Denmark hasn't the man power nor the industrial resources to make it mighty in modern warfare. Yet the Danes, once dread marauders by land and sea, have followed peaceful paths to a much finer destiny.—Daily Oklahoman.

Canadian Bird Sanctuaries

The total seabird population of the ten sanctuaries along the north shore of the gulf of St. Lawrence in 1930, according to the National Parks of Canada, Department of the Interior, not including young birds hatched in that year, was 100,836. The birds were of sixteen different species, mostly seabirds. Altogether Canada has now more than forty bird sanctuaries specially reserved for bird protection purposes.



"Those eggs are too small!"
"Wait a minute, I can have them put back on the nest for a moment!"
—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

W. N. U. 1857

Advice Worth Considering

Parents Should Not Date Children With Topical Names

Some parents cannot resist the temptation to give the new baby a Christian name that is topical. Let some celebrity visit the neighborhood, some great event happen, even a battle or a horse race, and the unfortunate infant who happens along at that time, is liable to be given an eponymous name which dates their birth for evermore.

Recently there have been twins afflicted with the names of Anne and Andy. There are Ramsay MacDonalds, even in Canada, and throughout the British Empire there are thousands of little girls today bearing the name Elizabeth because they were born about the same period as the popular Duchess of York's elder daughter. During the war there were boys christened Vimy and Haig and lots of other names that will sound funny to them when they grow up.

Many girls owe the name Alma to the fact that their grandmothers were so named during the Crimean war. And there are legions of boys today who are Nelsons and Wellingtons, handed down from their ancestors, and who have as much warlike instinct in their make-up as a mouse.

If you are thinking of a name for the baby don't give him or her a name that will "date."

Extend Invitation To Prince

Hopes That His Royal Highness Will Open World's Grain Exhibition

Sixteen countries have so far accepted the invitation of the Canadian Government to send official representatives to the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held at Regina, July 25 to August 6, 1932. The countries from which word has been received that they will be represented by delegates and exhibits are: Italy, Peru, Yugoslavia, Guatemala, New Zealand, Czechoslovakia, The Netherlands, Belgium, Poland, Siam, India, Portugal, Switzerland, Estonia, The Philippine Islands and Argentina. It is expected that about 50 countries will be represented when the exhibition and conference opens next year.

The management is hopeful that H.R.H. the Prince of Wales will officially open the exhibition. An invitation to do so was extended to him at the British Industries Fair at Buenos Aires, Argentina, on March 14th last, by Sir George Perley, member of the Canadian Government, who was the official representative of Canada at the opening ceremonies of the fair at Buenos Aires.

Pure Maple Products

Government Regulations Result In Marked Improvement In Quality

One effect already noticeable in connection with the 1931 maple products crop is marked improvement in the purity and quality of the syrup and sugar coming onto the market. This is attributed to the provisions of the new Maple Sugar Industry Act and Regulations which came into effect March 1. Under its provisions commercial manufacturing and packing plants selling their product outside the province in which the plant is located require to be licensed, and all other commercial plants require to be registered. In the case of private owners of sugar-bush or orchard a license is required only in such cases as where the product of the bush is sold outside the province in which it is located, and for this license there is no fee charged.

Going Ahead

A summary of the report of a recent survey of the poultry industry in Ontario made by the Poultry Division of the Dominion Live Stock Branch, indicates an increase in poultry flocks for the present season. Of the reports received, 15 counties anticipate flocks will remain at their present numbers, 6 expect a decrease, while in 8 counties a substantial increase is expected.

To End Depression

Co-operation of the governments of the world in an effort to reach agreement on a universal remedy for present depression was declared to be necessary for the restoration of prosperity by Sir George Paish, internationally known economist and former editor of the London Statist, in an address before the Empire Club at Toronto.

A report states that 60,000 windowless sleeping rooms are used in the borough of Brooklyn, N.Y., in violation of the tenement house law.



Hon. Raoul Dandurand, left, and Marchant Mahoney, charge d'affaires of the Canadian legation at Washington, seen at the White House recently, when the former was presented to President Hoover.

'Plane Placed In Museum

The first biplane in England to have its propeller in front, and regarded as the forerunner of the successful light aircraft of today has been placed on exhibition in the Science Museum in London. It is an Avro tractor 'plane of 1911.

Many of our picturesque names for colours, such as pea-green, vermilion, chestnut, were brought into use by biologists to describe the colours of birds and flowers.

Ancient Method Of Voting

The method of voting used by the Greeks for some 2,500 years consisted of having an urn to represent each candidate. The voter tossed in a white pebble if he wished to vote for a candidate and a black one if he wished to vote against him.

"Your mechanical toys all seem to be successful," said the customer, "Yes," remarked the inventor, "I have had only one failure—a toy tramp. It would not work."

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Census Takers Will

Visit Northern Indians

Checking Up On Population In Saskatchewan This Year

The census-taker goes north this year. He will count heads in Saskatchewan's forest empire and check up on Indian population in ten bands north of '33. It will be an all-summer job that will carry enumerators through more than 1,500 miles of wilderness country and provide the first Indian census in a decade.

Indian department records place the present population of Crees and Chippewyas in northern Saskatchewan at 2,350. These are scattered in ten localities from Big River to Brochet.

They do not include the non-treaty Indians, half-breed Eskimos, and white population of the northern half of the province.

Census enumerators will be part of the Indian treaty party to head north from Regina about June 6 on the first leg of a ten weeks journey through the north.

The treaty party will be under the direction of William Muirson, Regina, inspector for the department of Indian Affairs, Dr. Weatherhead, government medical officer at the Ile a la Croix hospital, will join the party at that northern post.

Treaty party officials will travel by canoe over the entire route from Big River, northwest of Prince Albert, to the north end of Reindeer Lake and then south and east to the Pas.

The party will assemble at Prince Albert and will include six or eight Indian canoe men from The Pas. They will embark in four canoes at Big River.

Industry Is Growing

Large Numbers Of Package Bees Shipped From Southern States Into North

Shipping package bees into the North from several Southern States has grown to such a large volume that the shippers are now asking for a reduction of express rates from first-class rates. This movement was started by a committee of the California State Beekeepers' Association. Prices of package bees have been reduced from year to year, the 1931 prices being the lowest in the history of the package-bee business.

The production of package bees and early queens to go with them has been so greatly improved within recent years that the troublesome delays in shipping, which often occurred years ago, have been almost completely eliminated. The progress made during the past few years in this phase of beekeeping is most remarkable.

Grain Exports

Montreal Port Is Looking Forward To A Busy Season

Between 13 and 14 million bushels of grain were booked for export shipment out of the port of Montreal during late April and the month of May, twice as much as booked at this time last year.

From 30 to 35 tramp vessels have been chartered already to carry the first shipments out of Montreal, while liners departing will also carry quantities of grain.

The bookings, declared by dealers to be most encouraging for a busy season, are due mostly to the pick-up in export grain demand.

Increase In Subsidy For Manitoba

A total amount of \$12,744,201.32 is provided, by way of subsidies payable to the provinces, in the main estimates for 1931-32 tabled in the House of Commons. Details show the same amount payable to all the provinces as in 1930-31, with the exception of Manitoba, where an increase of \$153,482.82 is shown.

Planting Douglas Fir

During the year ending September 30, 1929, the Forestry Commission of Great Britain planted 3,247,000 Douglas fir trees. The seed from which these were grown was obtained from the Forest Service of the Department of the Interior, and was extracted at the Service's seed-extracting plant at New Westminster, B.C.

The Retort Courteous

In Winnipeg police court the prosecutor observed in trying a traffic case, that "the law is on the side of pedestrian." A. B. Shubane, defending, replied grimly, "Yes, and so are the bumper marks."

"Won't some millionaire endow a research laboratory for wheat?" That is the plea contained in a letter forwarded to prominent Toronto business men by a local firm, which believes wheat might be turned to many other uses than for food, and that increased utilization of the grain would help solve a great national problem.

The possibilities are suggested of a healthful, new non-intoxicating beverage, or a new medicinal discovery made from wheat; the combination of a distillation of wheat with tomato juice, cod liver oil, and the uses of wheat or its products as a new fuel element, which might be mixed with gasoline to improve that product.

Wheat, the letter notes, is composed of chemical elements that might be combined with a number of other chemical elements to produce a wide variety of new uses for wheat entirely distinct from its use as a food product.

"Put money and brains into research for wheat and there's no telling what wonders creative imagination and chemical skill might discover," the letter remarks, and concludes with the suggestion "that a non-political group of business men get together and take this matter up with the Dominion Government, or themselves organize a national wheat research laboratory, to be endowed by patriotic subscription. The government, the Wheat Pool and the transportation companies would be justified in investing millions in this work."

New Elevator At Churchill

One Of The Most Modern Grain Handling Plants On The Continent

The essential steel products for the Canadian Government grain elevator being erected at Churchill, terminus of the Hudson Bay Railway, will shortly be shipped from Winnipeg. These steel products include conveyer legs and spouting, dust collecting systems, roofing, such, rolling doors for track sheds, fire doors, etc., all of which will go into the making of one of the most modern grain handling plants on the continent. The Churchill elevator is to have a capacity of 2,000,000 bushels. It will be completed in time to handle test shipments of this year's grain from the Prairie Provinces to Europe by the Hudson Bay route.

Bees Carry Heavy Loads

About Half Their Own Weight Is Average Estimated

It has been estimated that an unladen honeybee can fly about 25 miles per hour, but that it seldom flies faster than 15 miles per hour. When weighted with nectar, it often flies as rapidly as when unladen, although it sometimes stops to rest on a long journey. Bees with very heavy loads may become exhausted when flying over lakes and rivers, fall into the water and drown. A heavily loaded bee sometimes makes an ungraceful landing at the apiary bumping into the hive or dropping to the ground before it. The load of nectar which the bee brings to the hive varies with the density of the nectar, but the average load is about 40 milligrams, or about half the weight of the bee.

Princes Try Gold Mining

The Prince of Wales and his brother, Prince George, became gold miners for a few minutes, when they descended 7,800 feet to the bottom of Morrovelho gold mine in Brazil, the deepest in the world, where they operated blasting drills for a few moments. The temperature in the pit, known as Bello Horizonte, Brazil, as "the bottom of the earth," was 114 degrees Fahrenheit.

South Africa expects to produce 15,000,000 bags of maize this year.



Accused: "How could I commit forgery when I can't write my own name?"
Judge: "You are not accused of writing your own name."—Vart Hem, Stockholm.

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DEFINING THE WORD
"CANADIAN"
The bill to define Canadian nationality
has just received its second reading in the
Commons and while some slight changes may
be made in committee the prospects are
that it will be passed practically
as drafted by the secretary of state.
A clearer definition of Canadian
nationality has been recognised as a
necessity for some years. The question
has never been satisfactorily settled
since Confederation. In the present
immigration law the term "Canadian"
means a person born in Canada
who has not become an alien; a British
subject who has Canadian domicile;
or a person naturalized under the
laws of Canada who has not subsequently
become an alien or lost Canadian
domicile.
The present bill aims to clear the
air as to whom the designation "Canadian"
applies and thus remove a
grievance of so long standing. The
measure defines a Canadian as follows:
1. Any person born in Canada;
2. Any person born out of His Majesty's
Dominions whose father, at the time of
such person's birth, was a Canadian
national or possessed all the qualifications
of a Canadian national as defined by the
act;
3. Any natural born British subject
who, though not born in Canada, has
Canadian domicile;
4. The wife and minor children of any
natural-born British subject who
themselves have Canadian domicile;
5. A "naturalized British subject
who has Canadian domicile;
6. The wife of a naturalized British
subject who is included with her
written consent to his naturalization,
or who married such naturalized British
subject subsequent to the date of
such certificate, and who herself has
Canadian domicile.
7. The minor children of a naturalized
British subject who included in his
certificate of naturalization or
who were born subsequent to such
certificate and who themselves have
Canadian domicile.
Provision is made that Canadian
domicile shall mean five years' residence
in the case of aliens and two
years in the case of British born.
Anyone belonging to the prohibited
classes of immigrants shall not be
capable of acquiring Canadian domicile.
— Calgary Herald.

WHY SWARM CONTROL
IS PRACTICED
In years gone by the beekeeper
measured his success by the number
of swarms given off by his apiary,
and it was these swarms that were
depended upon to yield the surplus
honey. Before the advent of the
honey extractor the heaviest of the
swarms were carefully selected in the
fall of the year, the bees were then
killed by sulphur fumes and the honey
extracted from the combs by first
crushing them and then straining. It
would appear that this practice gave
rise to the old doggerel.
"A swarm of bees in May is worth
a load of hay."
"A swarm of bees in June is worth
a silver spoon."
A swarm of bees in July is not
worth a fly.
The early swarms were the best
for they would give more honey and
possibly other swarms. Swarming
usually occurs just before or during
a heavy honey flow and the swarm
is mostly made up of the field bees of
the colony. A certain amount of time
is wasted by the bees in making
the necessary preparations for
swarming, and there is almost an entire
cessation of honey gathering from
the time the swarm issues until it
is again housed in a new home,
therefore, if the swarm issues when
there is a honey flow of eight to ten
pounds per day the total crop of the
colony will be greatly reduced because
of swarming. Furthermore, swarms
sometimes have the habit of absconding
for parts unknown and when this
occurs both bees and crop are lost.
Swarm control is practiced because it
has been proven that if the bees can
be kept contentedly gathering nectar
and not wasting time in swarming,
larger crops of honey will be obtained.
The Bee Division of the Central Experimental
Farm at Ottawa have devised
methods whereby the natural
swarming can be prevented and which
at the same time allows for controlled
increase in the number of colonies.
Write for Bulletin No. 83, New Series,
if you are interested. — C. B. Good-
enham, Dominion Apiarist.

Heard in a Bruce drug store:
Farmer's wife: "Now be sure and
write on them bottles which is for the
horse and which is for my husband.
I don't want anything to happen to
that horse before the spring plowing
is done."

The Wastebasket

Heard among the girls at the Bruce
dance: "Is anybody looking?" "No."
"Then we don't have to smoke."

"She is a toe dancer," said a young
fellow at Vegreville as he nursed his
bruised toes after the dance at the
hall there last Saturday.

Male Fashion Note: There will not
be much change in married men's
suits.

Something for the drys to worry
about—the human body is 60 per cent
water.

"Why do gentlemen prefer blonds?"
asked one of the girls of a fellow at
the Bruce dance. "Because they are
afraid of the dark," was the reply.

A careful observer notes that the
woman who has a nose for news has
a chin for telling it.

"Take it from me," says a Jarro
fellow who is a careful observer.
"There are two kinds of women you
can't trust—the ones with bobbed
hair and those without."

"You are late every morning," said
a teacher to a boy in a neighboring
country school. "Well, you can't blame
me if they didn't build the school-
house nearer my home," he replied.

At a recent banquet of the fire de-
partment the Chief was called on for
a toast to the ladies, and he said:
"Here's to the ladies! Their eyes kindle
the only flame we cannot extinguish,
and against which there is no insur-
ance."

"What makes you think that your
new Tofield fellow is a Scotchman?"
asked one girl of another here yester-
day. "Because when he called me up
on the telephone he wanted to know
what night I would be free," was the
reply.

"You look strong enough to work
and earn your own living," said a
lady here to a tramp who applied at
the back door for a handout. "I know
madam," he replied, "and you are
beautiful enough to go on the stage,
but evidently you prefer the simple
happy home life." Can you guess
why he left the house with his hands
full of sandwiches?

Heard at the poker party: "My wife
is a woman of few words." "Mine is,
too, but she makes those few words
worthwhile."

"These shirts can laugh at the
laundry," said a salesman at Jarro
to a customer. "Yes, I notice that they
often return from the laundry with
their sides split," he replied.

The radio is getting in its "edu-
cational" work. A little miss here af-
ter saying her prayers the other eve-
ning, paused briefly and then said:
"Tomorrow night at this time there
will be another prayer."

Heard at the ladies social: "It is so
difficult to choose a career for a
son. My husband wants him to go in-
to business; I want him to be a doc-
tor and he insists upon being an air-
man and going on a world tour."
"How old is your son?" "He'll be
four next January."

Gets New Post



Forty years of railroad experi-
ence have singularly fitted
George Hodze, assistant general
manager Eastern Lines, for the
post of manager of the Canadian
Pacific Railway's new Department
of Personnel. He is one of
the best known and most popular
railway executives in the Ameri-
can continent, has been the com-
pany's spokesman in labor mat-
ters on a number of important oc-
casions, and won unstinted praise
for his able presentation of the
situation at the time of the Mc-
Adams award. He is a Montre-
al man, with the exception of a
year in London, Ont., as divisional
superintendent, always had his
headquarters in that city.

VIKING

Miss Dorothy Jones, who has been
a student at the University the past
term, arrived home last Friday and
will spend the summer here at the
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.
Jones.

Clem Loughlin returned on Satur-
day evening from London, Ont.,
where he has played professional
hockey the past season. He has been
appointed manager of the London
Tees for 1931-32 season.

Mrs. J. J. Skaltzky who underwent
an operation in one of the Edmonton
hospitals is reported to be doing quite
well. Mr. Skaltzky and son Jack left
on Tuesday evening's train to visit
her.

Miss Phyllis Collier returned from
Edmonton on Friday where she has
finished her third year at the Uni-
versity. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Collier
motored to the city to convey her
home.

Messrs. Hunter and Dunn, geolo-
gists, spent the past few days in this
district, and were present at the
bringing in of the two new gas wells
for the Northwestern Utilities last
week.

A McLaren's trucking and freight-
ing business from Edmonton has in-
creased to such an extent that he has
purchased another truck to take care
of the increase.

Mr. Duncan and Mitchell Fitzmaurice
of the Northwestern Utilities geo-
logical survey at Wainwright, were
up from that town on Thursday and
Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. De Mann have re-
turned to their home at Calgary after
a visit at the home of Mrs. De
Mann's sister, Mrs. Boyd Gray.

Mrs. L. C. McKinney, provincial
president of the W. C. T. U. was a
guest at the home of Mrs. M. Hyslop
during her stay in town.

Mrs. Geo. McNeill, of Edmonton, ac-
companied by Mrs. Smith also of that
city, spent the week end at the home
of Mrs. McNeill's sister, Mrs. Geo.
Loades.

Monday was Arbor Day. We didn't
notice much activity in the tree plant-
ing line. The government has set
aside this day for tree planting ef-
forts on the part of the citizens of the
province. Many communities make
quite a day of it.

The "Cozy Corner" ice cream and
refreshment parlor was officially open-
ed to the public on Monday, and is
operated in connection with the Vik-
ing Bakery. The new parlor is well
named which a visit to the premises
will readily place is nicely decorat-
ed and repainted and refurnished
and has an inviting appearance in ev-
ery respect. Fitted up with the lat-
est methods of refrigeration and
cooling system, you will find at all
times that the service is all that
could be desired. With Mr. and Mrs.
Farnham and Miss Irene Farnham in
charge you can be sure that your
visits to "Cozy Corner" will be pleas-
ant and enjoyable. The new venture
will no doubt prove popular with the
community at large.

The Soft Ball Artists strutted their
stuff Monday night and get well un-
der way for the season. The C.N.R.'s
played the Lumbermen near the track
west of town, and defeated the lum-
ber jugglers to the merry tune of 21
to 15. At the same hour on the fair-
grounds the Professionals trimmed
the "Spark Plugs" (the garage and
hardware dealers) by a score that to-
talled 23 to 13.

This week's games are only prac-
tice games, and a regular league
schedule will begin next week. Ev-
erybody is taking to the game like
a duck to water, and when the boys
get limbered up, there's going to be
more action than at a Donnybrook
fair.

We hear that the Girls have caught
the bug and are organizing a team
that should make a good showing.
A country team from the gas well dis-
trict is also contemplating joining
the League.

The Chamber of Commerce will
meet in the town hall on Monday eve-
ning, May 11th at 8 o'clock sharp.
There will be no noon luncheon. Ev-
eryone interested in the welfare of
the community should make an effort
to be present.

The sale of lands and property un-
der the Tax Recovery Act will be
held in the Town Hall, on Thursday,
May 14th, 1931, commencing at 2 p.m.

The Y. W. C. T. U. held their regu-
lar meeting at the home of Mrs. H.
M. Hilliker on Thursday, April 30th.
Due to illness a number of the girls
were unable to attend. Another
meeting was held on Monday evening
at Mrs. Hilliker's home when a sup-
per was given in honor of Mrs. L. C.
McKinney, president of the provin-
cial W. C. T. U. There was a very good
attendance at this meeting, and all
were pleased to meet Mrs. McKinney.

Messrs. McAtthey & Jones trans-
acted business in Edmonton the last
of the week.

Mr. Ross, of Vancouver, has been
in this district the past few days buy-
ing grain.



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GRANT FLEMING, M.D., — ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

A properly-balanced diet will pro-
vide the required proteins, carbohy-
drates, vitamins, water and minerals.
In order to make sure of having such
a balanced diet, it is necessary that
we use a wide variety of foods.

The most common error in select-
ing a diet is in not using a sufficient
quantity or variety of vegetables and
fruits. Green leafy vegetables and a
few fresh fruits should be used daily.
They are rich in vitamins which are
required for the regulation of the
body processes, and they also supply
the large measure, the minerals which
the body requires.

The minerals enter into the compo-
sition of all the tissues, forming about
six per cent of the body weight. They
are necessary for the proper nutri-
tion of all the tissues and for the
building up of strong bones and teeth.

Calcium is the mineral used most
extensively by the body; it is the
chief constituent of bones and teeth.
It is present in abundance in cabbage
lettuce, water-cress, Brussels sprouts
and onions.

Sodium is abundant in apples,
strawberries and spinach. A good
supply of iron is found in spinach,
lettuce and strawberries.

Minerals are present in varying
amounts in a wide variety of foods,
but, as we have shown, an adequate
supply of minerals is secured by those
who include fruits and vegetables in
their diet each day.

The mineral present in fruits and
vegetables are in what is called the
organic-form; which is the form best
suited for their ingestion into the
body for its use. The best way to
obtain the minerals we need is thru
the proper selection of foods, not by
the use of drugs.

It is not to be denied that many
persons apparently thrive on diets to
which they give no attention. In many
of such cases, however, a wide vari-
ety of food is used, and so a balanced
diet is secured. The point is how-
ever, that most individuals would en-
joy a greater measure of health if
they were to give some thought to
what they eat.

It is not suggested that we become
food faddists, but simply that it is
worth while to use milk, green leafy
vegetables and fresh fruits daily.
Such a diet will not cure all the ills
of mankind, but it will result in bet-
ter health for more people and will
at the same time, increase rather
than diminish the pleasure of the
meals.

(Questions concerning Health, ad-
dressed to the Canadian Medical As-

sociation, 184 College Street, Toronto,
will be answered personally by let-
ter.)

EDMONTON GRADS ROUT THE CHICAGO CARDINALS

The Edmonton Grads put the skids
under another Chicago team that had
aspirations of taking home the in-
ternational and world's title as bas-
ketball champions in a two game
series held over the week end. Sat-
urday evening's score was 80 to 33 in
favor of the Grads, and Monday
night's score ran up as high as 100
for the Grads and only 24 for the
Windy City sharpshooters. What it
comes to the ladies hoop pastime,
these Yankee flappers are only in the
kindergarten class compared with
Page's proteges. Arriving with a
record of winning 59 straight games
in their home town and undefeated
champions of a tournament that in-
cluded 200 teams from all over Vol-
stead's Desert, they were considered
worthy opponents of the Grads, but
look at them now!

Look Them Over First!

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who advertise, actually are placing
their merchandise before you for in-
spection. They invite your most criti-
cal attention, and an uncompromis-
ing comparison. And their advertise-
ments, so to speak, say to their prod-
ucts: "We have introduced you to the
public—now stand on your own mer-
its."

If the manufacturer and merchant
did not have confidence in their
wares, they would hesitate to call
attention to them. For advertising
rigidly tests the maker, the seller and
the merchandise. Business so tested,
and found not wanting, is prosperous.
In the long run, you can depend
on the man who advertises, as well as
on his product. That is one reason
why people have found that it pays to read
advertisements.

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The House in Which We Live

I think it hardly fair that I should have been chosen to give a paper on this subject: First, because there is much about it very touching for me as I so recently parted with my mother, who contributed so much to my view of a home. Second, because I have always felt keenly the incompleteness of a home without children. In fact so keenly that in my earlier married life I have gone to visit some new baby in our community and gone home to have a good cry that I was denied that pleasure. However, as the years passed I have in a measure been able to overcome that feeling.

The house in which we live or our homes, in spite of the denial of our personal happiness are largely what we make them, either a place of happiness and affection or sadness and unhappiness. If we wish our homes to be the former we must be able to give and take, be cheerful, kind and affectionate, instead of cross and fault finding. Happy homes are not the possession of a great fortune or luxuries. Oftentimes just the cause of much unhappiness. They cannot compare with a poor and humble home where harmony and goodwill reign supreme.

I have been in homes where the husband would scarcely be in his own house five minutes when his wife would start nagging. Perhaps he was a bit late for meals, brought in a little mud, or had neglected to do something she thought he should have done. She was always able to find something and at his first word or perhaps a little friendly joke he would be snapped up in a most cruel manner. I noticed the man would never stay in the house any longer than he had to. In another home I know, the husband must remove his boots and overalls for clean ones before he enters his own kitchen.

It can also be quite the reverse. I have known homes where the husband always came in nagging and finding fault with his wife. She could do nothing that pleased him, he could never find his boots, shirts, or socks. They were never in the right place, not where he expected them to be and he would look nowhere else.

Practicing a little self control, a few kind words and a smile at these times means so much to happiness, but can't afford to ignore them. The time spent where the husband and wife sit down and talk over the difficulties both are interested in, a confidence shared between them, consulting on the joys and worries of life, where others can make no contribution, is time richly and wisely used, and more often makes real pals of what would otherwise be the opposite. All homes should have family worship. If they are blessed with children they should be asked to take their turn in reading the Bible.

Much happiness comes through the sincere acceptance of the task. God has appointed. Happy the disposition that rejoices even when the clouds stand out on the horizon waiting for the moment when those clouds may be shattered by sunshine.

Many secrets of harmony in our home are contained in twelve simple rules we should practice daily. A little patience, some self control, five minutes of usefulness, a flash of generosity, a few kind words, a word of appreciation for someone, one good deed not left undone, an eager excuse for someone else, a noble thought, a little help for a friend in need, a sudden smile where it can do some good, sing a song, or hum a tune.

Many destroy happiness by fretting over the gifts bestowed in the cradle, feeling their tasks obscure and their duties petty; Nevertheless a home is not complete without these gifts, and I have experienced much regret that my home has suffered the denial of those gifts, but when I see children in an unhappy home, I am sure they suffer most. They get discouraged, lose confidence in their parents, grow deceitful and as they grow older, drift away. Where kindness and affection reigns they cultivate these habits and love and obedience becomes second nature. The influence of the home on the life of its children can scarcely be overestimated. If we could trace the growth of the rich affection of the heart that turns a house into a home, lights the sacred fire upon the hearth, makes the walls beautiful, fills the days with sunshine and the year with happiness.

Victory is the history of fireside affection. One of our greatest secrets of happiness is found in the habitual emphasis of pleasant things and the persistent casting out of all bitter things.

We all have our ups and downs. God never intended our homes to be unhappy. He does the very best he can for us all, and in our very darkest hours of life, happiness and serenity

A SINGLE BREAKER MAY RECEDE - - BUT THE TIDE IS COMING IN!

(Although Macaulay wrote this stimulating analysis 100 Years Ago, it is interesting to note that he makes specific reference to 1930—"If we are to prophesy that in the 1930's But read what he says:)

History is full of the signs of the natural progress of society. We see in almost every part of the annals of mankind how the industry of individual, struggling up against war, taxes, famines, confiscations, mischievous prohibitions and more mischievous protections, creates faster than governments can squander, and repairs whatever invaders can destroy.

We see the wealth of nations increasing and all the arts of life approaching nearer and nearer to perfection in spite of the grossest corruption and the wildest profusion on the part of rulers.

The present moment is one of great distress: But how small will that distress appear when we think over the history of the last forty years—when we compare with which, all other wars sink into insignificance—taxation, such as the most heavily taxed people of former times could not have conceived;—a debt larger than all the public debts that ever existed in the world added together;—the food of the people studiously rendered dear;—the currency impudently debased, and imprudently restored.

Yet is the country poorer than in 1790? We firmly believe that, in spite of all the mis-government of her rulers she has been almost constantly becoming richer and richer. Now and then there has been a stoppage, now and then a short retrogression; but as to the general tendency there can be no doubt. A single breaker may recede; but the tide is evidently coming in.

If we were to prophesy that in the year 1930, a population of fifty millions, better fed, clad and lodged than the English of our time, will cover these islands—that Sussex or Hampshire will be wealthier than the wealthiest parts of the West-riding of Yorkshire now are—that cultivation, rich as that of a flower-garden, will be carried up to the very tops of Ben Nevis and Helvellyn—that machines constructed on principles yet undiscovered will be in every house—that there will be no highways, but railroads, no travelling but by steam—that our debt, vast as it seems to us, will appear to our great-grand children a trifling encumbrance, which might easily be paid off in a year or two—many people would think us insane.

We prophesy nothing; but this we say—if any person had told the Parliament which met in perplexity and terror after the crash of 1720 that in 1830 the wealth of England would surpass all their wildest dreams, that the annual revenue would equal the principal of that debt which they considered an intolerable burden—that for one man of \$10,000 living, there would be five men of \$50,000; that London would be twice as large and twice as populous and that nevertheless the rate of mortality would have diminished to one-half what it then was—that the post-office would bring more into the exchequer than the excise and customs had brought in together under Charles II.—that stage coaches would run from London to York in twenty-four hours—that men would sail without wind, and would be beginning to ride without horses—our ancestors would have given as much credit to the prediction as they gave to Gulliver's Travels.

Yet the prediction would have been true; and they would have perceived that it was not altogether absurd, if they had considered that the country was then raising every year a sum which would have purchased the fee-simple of the revenue of the Plantagenets—ten times what would have supported the government of Elizabeth—three times what, in the time of Oliver Cromwell, had been thought intolerably oppressive. To almost all men the state of things in which they have been used to live seems to be the necessary state of things.

We have heard it said, that five per cent is the natural interest of money, that two is the natural number of a jury, that forty shillings is the natural qualification of a counsellor.

are possible for all alike through Him.

It is essential to our happiness that we keep our friendship in good repair; as it is also important that we supplement our environment; viz, if we live in the country, cultivate some interest in the city, and vice versa. God careth for us all, therefore, live a truthful, peaceful, God-centred life, meeting the storms with calmness, the misfortunes with firmness, defeat with faith and courage, death with the hope of immortal life. — Paper by Mrs. J. Thomson, given at U.F.W.A. meeting.

try voter. Hence it is, that though, in every age everybody knows that up to his own time progressive improvement has been taking place, nobody seems to reckon on any improvement during the next generation.

We cannot absolutely prove that those are in error who tell us that society has reached the turning point—that we have seen our best days. But so said all who came before us, and with just as much apparent reason.

"A million a year will beggar us," said the patriots of 1640.

"Two million a year will grind the country in powder," was the cry in 1660.

"Six million a year and a debt of fifty millions!" exclaimed Swift—"the high allies have been the ruin of us."

"A hundred forty millions of debt," said Junius—"well may we say that we owe Lord Chatham more than we shall ever pay, if we owe him such a debt as this."

"Two hundred and forty millions of debt!" cried all the statesmen of 1783 in chorus—"what abilities, or what economy on the part of a minister, can save a country so burdened?" We know that, if, since 1783, no fresh debt had been incurred, the increased resources of the country would have enabled us to defray that burden, at which Pitt, Fox and Burke stood aghast—nay, to defray it over and over again, and that with much lighter taxation than what we have actually borne. On what principle is it, that when we see nothing but improvement behind us, we are to expect nothing but deterioration before us?

It is not by the intermeddling of Mr. Southey's idol—the omniscient and omnipotent State—but by the prudence and energy of the people, that England has hitherto been carried forward in civilization; and it is to the same prudence and the same energy that we now look with comfort and good hope.

Our rulers will best promote the improvement of the nation by strictly confining themselves to their own legitimate duties—by leaving capital to find its most lucrative course, commodities their fair price, industry and intelligence their natural reward, idleness and folly their natural punishment—by maintaining peace, by defending property, by diminishing the price of law, and by observing strict economy in every department of the state.

Let the Government do this—the People will assuredly do the rest.

(From Lord Thomas Babington Macaulay's Essay on Southey's Colloquies on Society, published in Edinburgh Review, January, 1830.)

The Domestic Animals Act (Mun.) SALE AND REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS (Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that—

1 Stallion, no visible brand, two years old, roan, two white hind feet, white spot on forehead, was impounded in the pound kept by Robert Tod, located on the S. E. 28-48-S-4 with on Wednesday the 8th day of April, A.D. 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 20th day of April, 1931 to T. Smith of Saultau, Alberta.

—and that said animals may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

Arthur Curtis, Sec.-Treas. of the Municipality of Buffalo Coulee No. 453, Post Office, R. 3, Mannville.

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Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that—

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—and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

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WHO'S WHO

Hon. O. P. Goucher

NOVA SCOTIA has as its Minister of Natural Resources Hon. O. P. Goucher, who has been closely identified with agricultural work for many years. He is also chairman of the Nova Scotia Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference.

Born in Annapolis County in 1865, Mr. Goucher graduated from the public and high schools and finished off his education at the Truro Normal School. For four years he was principal of the Lawrencetown High School and for another six years acted in similar capacity at the Middleton High School.

Entering commercial life in 1902 he became associated with the Manufacturers' Life organization and in 1925 assumed the general management of the company for the Province of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Goucher was elected to the Nova Scotia Legislature in 1925, and was called upon to enter the Government in 1930, taking the portfolio of natural resources.

For a number of years he was closely associated with the fruit growing industry of his Province, owning and supervising an apple orchard of considerable size in the heart of the Annapolis Valley.





WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Canada has concurred with the British Government in recognizing the new government of Spain.

The "Women Only" sign hangs in front of a new pool room opened at Liverpool, England.

William J. Seed, former mayor of Vermilion, Alberta, died at his home in Vancouver, aged seventy-three, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Anita "Mother" Tiffany, the first white woman to land at Nome during the gold rush days of '97 and '98 is dead at the age of 82.

A Winnipeg plant has been equipped for the manufacture of matzohs, in which some 500,000 bushels of Canadian wheat will be used annually.

During 1930 the province of Ontario led all the provinces of the Dominion in new power installations placed in operation with a total of 136,000 h.p.

Thomas Ash, Jr., United States diar, registered with the newspaper Asahi as the first contestant in its prize offer of \$25,000 for the first foreigner to make a non-stop flight between Japan and the United States.

Planning a coast-to-coast motor trip, E. Wharton Shaw and V. E. Sears shortly will make tests of their outfit on the bay preparatory to starting from Sydney, N.S., in an attempt to win the medal offered by the Canadian Highway Association of Victoria, B.C.

Wheat exports from Vancouver for the season up to February 18th, amounted to 45,051,972 bushels, according to the figures of the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange. This total compares with 25,888,585 bushels for the corresponding period of last year.

Board Is Abolished

Soldier Settlement Board To Be Replaced By a Director Of Soldier Settlement

Abolition of the Soldier Settlement Board and its replacement by a director of soldier settlement has been decided upon "in the interests of economy and efficiency," Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration, stated. Mr. Gordon was asked the reason behind a resolution appearing upon the order paper of the House of Commons calling for abolition of the board.

The minister said that there was now no necessity for a board of three commissioners to deal with the work of this organization. He was not in a position to say who would be appointed to the post of director of soldier settlement.

Agricultural Credit Corporation

Three Million Dollar Corporation Will Function In Near Future

Agricultural Credit Corporation of Canada, Limited, which will aid prairie farmers to go into mixed farming, has secured subscriptions amounting to some \$3,000,000 and will "function at a not distant date."

This was the information given John Vallance, Lib. South Battleford, in the House of Commons by Premier Bennett.

Mr. Bennett made it plain that the corporation was created by private and not through government action. The information he gave Mr. Vallance, said the premier, had been given him verbally recently.

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The Common Cold

A Few Simple Rules That Will Assist In Avoiding This Disease (By John Burke Ingram.)

When you catch a cold from another person you do so because germs from his nose or throat have been thrown out by a cough or a sneeze and have found their way to you. If everyone would remember to be very careful to cough or sneeze into a handkerchief when suffering from a cold there would be a rapid decline in the incidence of this ailment.

But it is possible through our own neglect and stupidity to develop a cold quite spontaneously. Going around with wet feet instead of taking the slight trouble of changing shoes and hose, running out of a warm house or office into a cold damp spring day are illustrations of two common causes of the too-common cold.

Do not make the mistake of thinking little of the common cold. It keeps more people away from work all the time than any other disease, and it very often develops into other ailments. It can cause heart disease, rheumatism, nose, throat and sinus trouble, and even lung disease, but by no means least, pneumonia which I shall mention shortly.

Now the question of prevention. Here are a few simple rules. First, always sleep with your window open. If you get used to fresh air, even cold air, it won't cause your system such a shock if you happen to encounter it a bit suddenly when leaving warm buildings. Many people have the mistaken notion that the best way to avoid a cold is to shut oneself up in warm rooms and to enclose the body in thick heavy clothes. This, on the contrary, is one of the best ways of catching it. One should carry a love of fresh air even farther than formation of habit of sleeping with open windows. One should exercise as much as possible in the fresh air in the day time. And as to clothing, it is much better to slip on a coat whenever you leave a warm building, no matter how short a time, than to rely upon thick woollens. Protection against sudden changes of temperature, not heavy clothing, is important.

Now the question of general physical condition. Naturally, the better the condition that you are in, the less likelihood there is that you will develop a cold, and there are many ways to good physical condition which the average person can follow. Did you know for instance that defective teeth, diseased tonsils and the presence of adenoids all help to lower your body's resistance to the common cold? A thorough physical examination by your family physician and by your dentist will reveal the possible existence of any of these things. Many a man has been able to thank a timely visit to his dentist for a cold free winter.

Stay away from crowds during the treacherous weather of autumn and spring. Support your Medical Officer of Health, so that he may enforce health rules in restaurants etc. to the end that these may be kept scrupulously clean and free from germs. Wash your hands before each meal.

It is safe to say that every case of pneumonia starts from a common cold. This frequently fatal disease is "catching" and those suffering from it should be isolated. 121,000 people in the United States and Canada die from it every year. One out of every five who contract it die of it, yet many cases are preventable. It is extremely important to remember that complete rest may save your life if pneumonia attacks you. This disease places a great strain on the heart and lungs and often slight exertion may bring about the death of the patient. Anyone suffering from it should not get out of bed for any reason whatever, and all arrangements should be made for the comfort of the patient.

Will Beautify City

The Saskatoon Horticultural Society is receiving this spring from the Dominion experimental farm at Rosthern, 1,000 Scotch pines and 500 birch trees to be used in the beautification of city gardens.

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Excursion Rates For Air Trips

Week-end excursion rates are to be put into effect by a London-Paris air service. The round-trip rate between the two cities will be \$30, as compared with \$200 in 1919, and making it cheaper to travel by air than by first-class train or boat.

You can easily tell a great man. He is so unlike your idea of a great man.

An albatross is said to have covered 3,450 miles in 12 days.

HOCKEY PRESIDENT



J. W. Hamilton, Regina, Saskatchewan, who was re-elected president at the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, held in Winnipeg. Mr. Hamilton has held office for over a year and has made a great success of the position.

Canada Praised For Work Among Blind

Is Proclaimed Leader By Delegates To World Conference

Representatives of 37 nations attending the world conference in New York, on work for the blind, applauded Canada as the world leader in the placement of sightless workers, when Captain E. A. Fisher, and J. F. Chalk, of the Blind, spoke on "Employment of the Blind on Work for Which Sight Was Formerly Considered Essential."

World experts in welfare activities for the blind are competing effort at the conference. Canada's proud record of advanced work in more varied opportunities for the blind proved a vivid contrast to tales of abject misery and poverty of the Asiatic sightless.

Captain Baker, as general secretary of the Canadian National Institute, stressed Canada's discovery that instead of investing large sums in experimental work to develop new special trades for blind persons, with all the attending subsidies for operating, better results to both the individual and the community were obtained by investing the same funds in a properly operated placement department. Captain Baker presented a list of Canadian factories, which now employ sightless workers and outlined the growing number of concession stands, operated chain fashion, by the Canadian National Institute in public buildings.

"Never sell blind labor on a sub-normal or an abnormal basis," said Captain Baker. "Be content with those jobs at which blindness is no handicap and at which a blind person possessing proper qualification can produce equally with the average sighted workers and without special arrangements."

Status For Benefactors

Many Have Been Elected For Different Reasons

It is suggested that a statue be erected to the memory of the man who first introduced the orange to Great Britain. Japan already has a statue to its first orange bringer. France has put up a statue to Marie Harel, the inventor of Camembert cheese, and Offenbach, in Germany boasts a statue to Sir Francis Drake for bringing the potato from the New World to the old. But nobody knows who brought the oranges to Britain. They came from Spain about the year 1250—but beyond that there is no record. The first man to import oranges in quantity was Benjamin Bovill, a London fruit broker, the centenary of whose death recently occurred. The man who first brought bananas to Britain is just as worthy of a statue as anyone connected with oranges. Worthiest perhaps of any is Sir Richard Weston, who flourished in the reign of Charles I. Though very few people have heard of him it was he who introduced turnips, clover and other sown grasses into Britain and so laid the foundation of modern agriculture.

Butter Supply From Prairies

Butter supplies from the prairie provinces are now almost meeting the entire demand in Vancouver and imports from other countries have lately dwindled to very small proportions, according to the local dealers.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Extirminator.

With all the progress of talking movies, the latest registration figures on moving picture theatres in the United States show 45 per cent. of theatres using silent pictures only.

Summer COLDS

Almost everybody knows how Aspirin tablets break up a cold—but why not prevent it? Take a tablet or two when you first feel the cold coming on. Spare yourself the discomfort of a summer cold. Read the proven directions in every package for headaches, pain, etc.



Cancel Training Camp

Training Camps For Non-Permanent Active Militia Will Not Be Operated This Year

All the summer training camps for units of the non-permanent active militia of Canada have been cancelled for this year, in view of the cut in the estimates, it was announced from the Department of National Defence. Last year some 35,000 militiamen were trained at these camps for a period of ten or twelve days.

The principal camps in which the militia were trained in the past were located at Aldershot, N.S.; Sussex, N.B.; Valcartier, Que.; Lewis, Que.; and St. John's, Que.; Barrieffield, Ont.; Petawawa, Ont.; Niagara, Ont.; Camp Hughes, Man.; Dundurn, Sask.; Sarcee, Alta., and also for British Columbia. In addition there were a few local camps.

Edmonton Industries

Half a Million Dollars Of Private Funds Invested During 1930

A report of the joint industries committee of the City of Edmonton, covering the year 1930, shows that about half a million dollars of private funds were invested during that year in industrial enterprises in that city. And as one means of assisting the local industries, the committee has plans for placing in every home in central and northern Alberta an illustrated directory of the 200 odd firms manufacturing within the city, with a list of the products made. The committee is made up of three members of each of the following: Edmonton City Council, Edmonton Chamber of Commerce, Edmonton Industrial Association and the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Canadian Chemical Association

The Canadian Chemical Association annual convention will be held in Montreal, May 27-28-29, according to a report by Dr. Harold Hibbert, president of the Society of Chemical Industry, Montreal section.

Twelve Canadian Oaks

There are twelve species of oak in Canada according to the Forest Service, Department of the Interior; one the Garry oak is found in British Columbia, the remainder in the East.

Helps Sheep Breeders

Federal Assistance In Connection With Ram Grading

One of the outstanding advantages of Ram Grading in connection with Federal assistance to sheep breeding through the Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, is the fact that individual farmers, clubs or associations can now either buy by mail order, by individual selection at the breeder's farm, or in the sale ring with greater assurance that the graded animal possesses most of the essentials of a good sire. The value of ram grading to the industry is reflected in the steady improvement which is noted in purchased stock throughout the Dominion.

Glacier-Ground Rock Flour

The Athabasca River, which receives nearly all the drainage of Jasper National Park, Alberta, is always turbid or milky-coloured with rock flour which a hundred glaciers have ground for its waters in contact with this sediment is deposited on the bottom of Athabasca Lake, 500 miles northeast of the park, through which the river passes on its way to the Arctic sea.

The ADVENTURES OF CAPTAIN JIMMY and his Dog SCOTTIE

There is a race of men who are born with a gift of seeing, and a thought that all lands are home. They'll hang their hats in the remotest nooks of a Chinese emperor's palace, and settle down as comfortably as a duck on a warm beach rug. Give them a stout old pair of shoes and a new highway, or no old hat and a mild wind to push the sail, and they'll find their way into the queerest places with absolute surety that all will come out right in the end.

You asked these men why they get along so well, they might tell you that this is just because they have found that folks are much the same everywhere. In Africa and the brown boys in India—yes, and the yellow boys in China—like kind of games as you play and that the big folks are just like little folks grown up.

In China, for instance, there are about 400,000,000 people, mostly Chinese. Some are rich and learned, others are poor and ignorant. Some are kind and honest—others are cunning and wicked. There are other things, too, in China. There are great bamboo forests full of tigers, bears and wild animals. There are sandy rivers where pirates jump ships in to wait for plunder. There are cities teeming with the funniest little spies and turrels, and there are towering, forbidding cities away up in the mountains, where the bravest white man has not so.

One bright morning Scottie and I talked for an hour or so in China and I met with new adventures. Inside of a put over our heads, I slipped on my hat, and my nose plane started to talk about your rough world. They creased down the hatch and shut the door. The great truck which I had crashed over the ship, driven before the blast of a spinning propeller.

Landing in Shanghai, we began to assemble our plane. Just as the job was finished, reports came in that fighting had broken out between two rival armies less than a hundred miles away. I asked Scottie if he would be interested in going to the front, and he wagged his tail and danced about.

We must confess that Scottie didn't like the Chinese very well at first. Once he had been captured by Chinese hands, and after then had carried a grudge against the entire race. He mixed with them just as a light match mixes with a Chinese tinderbox.

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British Industries Mission

Will Investigate Possibilities Of Canadian Market For British Goods

British manufacturers do not boast of their achievements sufficiently, according to Sir James Lithgow, who, with his colleagues, Sir Arthur Duckham and Moir MacKenzie, comprised the small but important delegation from the Federation of British Industries. Sir Arthur is president of the federation.

The mission was invited to Canada by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce and their object is to co-operate with Canadian manufacturers in ascertaining which of Canada's requirements can best be supplied by British manufacturers.

Antlers of the giant Irish deer sometimes branch to a spread of 12 feet.



General La was located in a palace in the Chinese capital. Walking into the room he greeted us with dignity, shaking hands with himself in the Chinese fashion. General La was an immense man—very tall and stout and gorgeously dressed in silk. He was extremely impressive.

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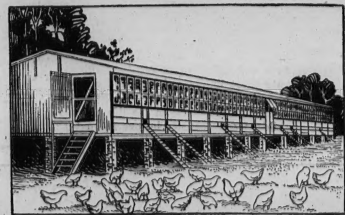
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Western Inland Waterway

Edmonton To Manitoba By Way Of Saskatchewan River

Twenty-five years ago Sir Wilfrid Laurier foresaw the day when barges laden with coal and lumber would float down the Saskatchewan from Edmonton into the heart of Manitoba without breaking bulk, and discharge their cargoes within a hundred miles of the city of Winnipeg. A considerable sum was spent in surveying the necessary improvements but nothing further has been done, of the river for navigation purposes, and the stream that was the great artery of commerce across the plains a half century ago is today nothing more than a drainage canal.

Premier Bracken has proposed in the legislature of Manitoba that this vision of a statesman be translated into fact, and the legislature has voted the money for preliminary exploratory work. Premier Bracken's object is not so much to develop the Saskatchewan waterway as to create a great new water power project in central Manitoba, but the opening of the waterway would be an incidental result of his scheme.

The greatest barrier to navigation of the Saskatchewan is the Grand Rapids, located near the point where the river, after passing through Cedar Lake, flows into Lake Winnipeg. The proposal is to cut a canal from Cedar Lake to Lake Winnipegosis, using that body and Lake Manitoba as reservoirs. The power plant would be located on Dauphin River, connecting Lake Manitoba and Lake Winnipeg. As it is estimated that 400,000 horse power could thus be generated within 140 miles of Winnipeg, there is a substantial economic reason to recommend the plan to the legislature and people of that province.

The canal from Cedar Lake to Lake Winnipegosis would sidetrack the Grand Rapids as a barrier to river navigation, and open the waterway from the southern end of Lake Manitoba about one hundred miles from Winnipeg, to Edmonton on the North Saskatchewan and to Medicine Hat on the South Saskatchewan.

The advantage that this would be in the movement of coal from Alberta to Manitoba is obvious. It would give the Alberta mines the cheapest of all transportation to Winnipeg, an advantage which their U.S. competitors could hardly counter by any manipulation of freight rates or by "dumping" tactics. That, it may be supposed, will be an added inducement to the Manitoba legislators to proceed with the project—Edmonton Bulletin.

There is no view which compares with that of an opponent in a sand trap.



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Nation-Wide Plan For Juniors Adopted

Object Is To Co-Ordinate All Farm and Club Work Of Provinces

Establishment of all farm boys' and girls' club work in Canada upon a national basis, guided by a central executive with headquarters at Ottawa, representative of all the provinces concerned as well as the Dominion government and other organizations interested, has been effected with the organization of what is to be known as the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

The new plan, considered to be an advanced step in agriculture, has been brought into being with the active co-operation and approval of Hon. Robert Weir, Dominion minister of agriculture, and already has the sanction of most of the provincial ministers of agriculture. The plans and policies of the new organization have been worked out by a committee.

The plan will come into operation at once, and a permanent secretary has been appointed in the person of Alex MacLaurin, who has resigned his position as livestock commissioner for the province of New Brunswick to take up his new work at Ottawa at once.

The main object of the plan is to co-ordinate all the junior farm and club work of the various provinces, bringing it into line with a nationwide agricultural policy. The importance of this lies in the fact that the boys' and girls' club work in the various provinces has developed during the past few years to such an extent that it has become a very vital factor in assisting in determining the quality of livestock and other classes of farm production in many districts in Canada, and in influencing the methods of marketing of such products.

In the past each province has carried out its own particular policy with respect to the work of the junior farm clubs. Under the new plan, while the provincial agricultural authorities will continue to supervise their farm clubs as in the past, it is hoped through the medium of the new organization to effect a greater co-ordination of the club work, and a greater uniformity of policy.

The new plan will cover all classes of projects at present conducted by the various farm boys' and girls' clubs in the Dominion, but will for the present feature five main projects by the holding of national championship contests and exhibits at the Royal Winter Fair at Toronto, namely, for swine clubs, calf feeding and cattle breeding clubs, and seed grain clubs. All competitions at present conducted by private organizations, together with the trophies and medals for such, will be eliminated, and all competitions will be conducted under the direction of the central council, with trophies, prizes, trips, etc., provided from a central fund to which contributions will be invited from railway corporations and other private concerns, service clubs, etc., who have been effective supporters of the work in the past.

Nearly 15,000 farm boys and girls are engaged in some form of agricultural club work in the various provinces. The total number of clubs of various kinds now in existence is 820, with membership of 14,737.

Wheat Exports Improve

Seasonal Improvement In Demand For Canadian Wheat Is Expected

During the month of March, there was a notable improvement in the imports of wheat into the United Kingdom, says a corn report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Totals for the month will be about double those of February, and higher than the imports of March, 1930.

Preference is still shown for Australian and Russian sorts largely because of price differentials, but about the middle of April there was a marked renewal of interest in Canadian wheat. Port stocks are still at a low level and seasonal improvement in demand is expected.

New Canadian Metal

Cadmium, a by-product obtained in the production of zinc, was produced in Canada for the first time at Trail, British Columbia, early in 1928. Considerable quantities of the metal are now being used, chiefly for plating purposes, and because of this use in connection with radio and automobile industries, the consumption has increased very rapidly.

Wire Strings For Violins

A musician in Germany has been experimenting with fine silver wire that has been slightly roughened for violin bows. Great sensitiveness and brilliancy of tone are achieved, it is said, with the new strings.

Football is becoming very popular in central Europe.

Russian sugar is being imported into India.

Germany and France

Really Good Friends

If Recent Soccer Game Could Be Taken As True

Between France and Germany is more than officially over. A few weeks ago soccer teams representing all Germany and all France, played in Paris for the first time since the war ended, and before the biggest crowd assembled there since the Olympic games of 1924. More than 12,000 Germans attended from the fatherland, and large numbers of them visited the monument to the Unknown Soldier.

The only goal was scored accidentally for France by a German player. That makes the contest an even break between these two ancient enemies, and it ought to be a good omen for the future. If you don't think so, remember that a French band celebrated the performance with Deutschland Uber Alles.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE

3 squares unswweetened chocolate, cut in pieces.

2½ cups cold milk.
4 tablespoons special cake flour, sifted.
1 cup sugar.
1½ teaspoon salt.
4 egg yolks, slightly beaten.
2 tablespoons butter.
2 teaspoons vanilla.
1 baked 9-inch pie shell.
8 tablespoons sugar.
4 egg whites, stiffly beaten.

Add chocolate to milk, and heat in double boiler. When chocolate is melted, beat with rotary egg beater 1 minute or until mixture is smooth and blended. Combine flour, sugar, and salt. Add to egg yolks. Pour small amount of chocolate mixture over egg mixture, stirring vigorously. Return to double boiler and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Add butter and vanilla. Cool. Pour into pie shell and cover with meringue made by folding sugar into egg whites. Bake in slow oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) 12 minutes, or until delicate brown.

TOMATO JELLY

2 tablespoons gelatin.
½ cup cold water.
3½ cups canned tomatoes.
1 tablespoon sugar.
Celery salt and paprika.
Soak gelatin in cold water. Add sugar, celery salt and paprika to tomatoes. Bring to boiling point. Add gelatin. When gelatin is dissolved, strain. Pour into a wet mold and cool in refrigerator. Unmold on lettuce and serve with mayonnaise.

Rare Specimen Of Rock

Water Cork Is Found Mostly In Swiss Tyrol

Found mostly in the Swiss Tyrol, a rare specimen of rock known as mountain cork, floats on water and has about the consistency of a sponge. It is actually a form of asbestos, and appears in chunks like other rocks, or in layers that are called mountain leather. In the latter form the rock resembles cork, gray leather. Several rocks or other minerals will float on water. Pumicestone will float until it is waterlogged, and meerschaum will float indefinitely.

New highways opened in the United States last year had a total mileage of 7,052, while those constructed in Canada covered 8,053 miles.

In one ton of water from the Dead Sea there are 187 pounds of salt.

Renewed government building activity is expected in Brazil.

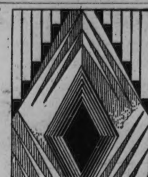
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Marking An Important Epoch

Centenary Of First Steamship To Cross the Atlantic By Steam Power

Marking the centenary of the launching of the famous steamship "Royal William," at Quebec, in the year 1831, the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire embarked on a campaign to remind the Canadian public of this historic landmark. On April 20th it was exactly a hundred years since this celebrated steam vessel, the first to cross the Atlantic by steam power, was launched from the yards of Quebec, which in those days made Canada the most important ship-building country in the world.

In an interview on the celebration of the centenary Mrs. J. J. Sreelman, Municipal Registrar of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, in Montreal, stated that, "Canadians are so accustomed to the idea of celebrating centenaries in other countries that they are likely to forget that Canada has her own great occasions for these celebrations. Although the importance of Canada as a ship-building country has diminished since the early days of the nineteenth century, Canadians may now take pride in the fact that April 20, 1831, marked the inauguration of a truly marvellous era of steam navigation, an era which has produced such vessels as the "Aquitanian" and "Mauretania," with even larger steamers under construction. It has remained for the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire to remind a public too ready to forget Canadian historic landmarks, of the interesting centenary of the launching of the "Royal William." By radio and through the press the Montreal chapters of the Order are seeking to disseminate as much information as possible concerning the launching of the great vessel."

The "Royal William" cost sixteen thousand pounds, and was launched amid most enthusiastic scenes in the historic city of Quebec. After a successful career on this side of the Atlantic she made her historic crossing under her own steam and served successfully under various foreign flags. Her length was 176 feet and her breadth including paddle-boxes 44 feet. The depth of hold was 17 feet nine inches. The rig was that of a three-masted topsail schooner. All these are in tremendous contrast to the great steamships of today like the "Berenaria," and the immense new 73,000 ton Cunarder now under construction.

Few of the original shareholders of the company which financed the "Royal William" may be traced today through their descendants, but among them were the three Cunard brothers of Halifax, including Samuel Cunard, afterwards knighted, and founder of the great steamship company which bears his name. The Cunard Line through their indirect contact with the "Royal William" co-operated with the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire in arranging for the centenary celebrations. The Cunard Line offered a series of prizes to winners of a contest available for school children in Verdun High School, in which essays on the subject of navigation on the Atlantic between the years 1830 and 1840 are being submitted. Verdun has been chosen because this is the district in which the newly-formed Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire chapter called the "Royal William" is located. Two of the prizes will be a free trip to Quebec and back on Cunard ships this summer, and six other prizes offered are luncheon entertainments on board a Cunarder in port.

Western Necktie Factory

The first factory in the Province of Saskatchewan for the manufacture of neckties, was opened in Moose Jaw recently by the Indestructible Neckwear Manufacturers, Ltd. The factory is turning out around 100 dozen ties per week, but is looking in filling its orders, which have been larger than expected.

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To duty firm, to conscience true, However tried and pressed; In God's clear sight high work we do, If we but do our best.

Let this day's performance of the meane duty be thy religion.

—Margaret Fuller.

Follow duty if you would know the Christ-like calm in the presence of wrong; follow duty if you would change resentment into patience, resistance into forgiveness. Duty is the great mountain road to God.

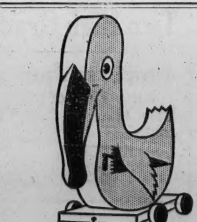
—Jesús Lloyd Jones.

Innovations In Census Taking

Planes To Be Used In Far North and Survey Of Eskimo Population Taken

"The aeroplane will be used for the first time in the history of Canada to count the population in the stretches of the Far North," stated E. S. MacPhail, chief of the division of census and vital statistics, Ottawa. Arrangements have also been made for a complete survey of the Eskimo population. This is being done for the first time also.

The actual count will start on June 1, it being expected that the entire enumeration will be completed before the end of June. The unorganized portions of the great north lands will be enumerated by members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, while aeroplanes will be used for the taking of the census along the west coast of the Hudson Bay.



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Mrs. Foxwell has returned after spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. J. R. Geeson motored to Viking Tuesday, with Wainwright friends to attend the W.C.T.U. Convention.

Mr. Love has been placing hives for bees with the farmers who have sweet clover, the past week.

Mr. Alve Head and son, Harry, of Clyde, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. McFarland returned home Sunday. We are glad to see Mrs. McFarland is able to be out.

Mr. S. S. Sanderson, of Edmonton, was in Irma Monday renewing acquaintances.

Mr. McCreedy has been ill with bronchitis and pleurisy. Dr. Greenberg has been attending him and last reports are that he is improving.

Miss Della Pollard has stopped taking violin lessons with Mrs. Prothero for a time to put more work on her studies for the June exams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Locke of Banff, Alberta, were visitors over the week end at Mr. Locke's and Elford's.

Mr. John Locke is Mr. Locke's brother.

Mrs. H. Osterhout has received word that her son-in-law, Mr. Art Muckelson, had met with an accident and was in the Vermilion hospital.

Miss Violet Simmons left Sunday for Saskatoon to spend a month with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sinnerman.

Mrs. E. C. Wilson of Edmonton is visiting with her daughter Miss B. Wilson who is occupying the McKay house in Irma, for the summer.

Wednesday afternoon the Post Office and most of the Irma business houses commenced to observe the usual Wednesday half holiday which will continue during the summer months.

Miss Ann MacDonald, Mrs. E. Prior and Mrs. G. Coulthart motored to Wainwright on Tuesday to see Miss MacDonald's mother who was passing through Wainwright on her way to Scotland.

Thursday morning the Irma district was visited with a nice rain which lasted till eleven o'clock. This is the second good rain within a week and is greatly welcomed by the farmers who finished seeding their wheat.

The Irma Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. James Fenton on Thursday afternoon, May 14th, all ladies in the district are cordially invited to attend.

A new telephone switch board has been installed in the new office on the west side of Main Street a little south of the old location. The service is back to normal with all its former efficiency.

Word has been recorded from Mrs. Pickel, U.F.W.A. director for Battle River that a conference will be held at Wainwright June 4th when all locals are asked to prepare one number for the program and as many as can attend. Mr. Cook will speak on health. Other addresses will also be given.

The U.F.W.A. meeting at Mrs. Carrington's was well attended. Rev. Geeson gave a splendid talk, several new members were added to the roll. A committee was chosen to draft a program from July to December. School Inspector Good will speak at the meeting at Mrs. C. Johnson's home, May 21st. The ladies thank Rev. very much Geeson for his address.

Seeding of wheat is well advanced, most of the smaller farmers have finished sowing wheat and are plowing for oats and barley. Sunday the district was visited with a nice, snow storm accompanied with rain. This has started some of the wheat growing, and grass and pasture are growing very fast. Probably there will be more coarse grains sown this season as a number of farmers are trying to get back into cattle and will have to depend considerably on grain feed till they get some of their land seeded back to grass.

Word reached Irma last week that Mike Guitner, who is working for Mr. A. G. Walker, at Penhold, had met with a serious accident when the horses he was working on a disk tried to run away. Mike was thrown in front of the disk, breaking his leg at the hip and cutting him on several parts of the body. He was taken to the hospital at Innisfail where his father and Mr. Carl Finch, motored to see him last Sunday. Mr. Guitner states it will be some time before his son will be able to be around again.

Sunday, May 10th is Mother's Day and according to custom is being recognised especially in the Sunday School. This year, as our custom is, we are to honor the oldest mother present, the youngest mother, and the mother with the most children present by presenting them with bouquets of sweet peas.

The program will include a pageant, a story, and special music. We had one hundred and ten in attendance last year. If you come, there will be one hundred and eleven this year.

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